

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FORTH IIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 18, 2006, the period for response having been extended by two months to June 18, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: